

House Resolution 916

By: Representatives Drenner of the 86th, Benfield of the 85th, Henson of the 87th, Mosby of the 90th, and Dawkins-Haigler of the 93rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Dr. Tanya Gorman; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Dr. Tanya Gorman has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
3 vital role that she has played in higher education and her deep personal commitment to the
4 students of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, this highly respected educator was appointed to the faculty of DeKalb Technical
6 College in 2003 and currently serves as Vice President of Academic Affairs; and

7 WHEREAS, Dr. Gorman earned an associate's degree from Loma Linda University, a
8 bachelor's degree from Southern Adventist University, a master's degree from Memphis State
9 University, and a master's degree and doctoral degree from the University of Tennessee; and

10 WHEREAS, with over 20 years of experience in the field of education, Dr. Gorman utilizes
11 her expertise to inspire the students of DeKalb Technical College to reach their utmost
12 potential, improve their lives, and contribute to the economic vitality of their community; and

13 WHEREAS, as Vice President of Academic Affairs, Dr. Gorman manages a wide array of
14 educational programs that lead to associate degrees in applied science, diplomas, or technical
15 certificates; and

16 WHEREAS, she has been instrumental in ensuring that DeKalb Technical College maintains
17 standards for accreditation with the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of
18 Colleges; and

19 WHEREAS, her leadership and guidance have helped DeKalb Technical College reach a
20 gold standard that brings great pride to the State of Georgia.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend Dr. Tanya Gorman for her dedicated and selfless service
23 to DeKalb Technical College and extend their most sincere gratitude for her many
24 contributions on behalf of education in the State of Georgia.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. Tanya Gorman.